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MONSTER PATRIOTIC PARADE IS PLANNED FOR MEMORIAL DAY

U. S. W. V. INVITES EVERYONE IN DIXON TO HELP IN GREAT CELEBRATION.

PRELIMINARY MEETING, MAY 11

All Lodges and Societies Are Asked To Name Representatives For Meeting.

A monster parade in which every patriotic, fraternal, religious and social organization in Dixon is by this announcement invited to participate, is being planned by Baldwin Camp United Spanish War Veterans for Memorial day, and a preliminary meeting to which every organization is asked to send representatives will be held at Moose hall Friday evening, May 11, at 7:30 o'clock. At this meeting definite arrangements for what it is hoped will be the greatest patriotic demonstration in the history of Dixon will be made.

In their announcement of the coming celebration the members of the U. S. W. V. make it plain that in no way will they conflict with the plans of the Grand Army of the Republic, whose day Memorial day really is. However, Spanish war veterans say, because of the rapidly thinning ranks of the civil war veterans, it becomes each year more difficult for them to stage a big Memorial day celebration and accordingly the younger soldiers are willing to take the burdens of planning and executing such an affair off their shoulders. The advice and interests of the G. A. R. will be paramount in all arrangements for the coming big parade.

Want Everyone To Help.

Every lodge, religious society, Sunday school, Boy Scout, school child and citizen is asked to help and to take part. Through this medium the U. S. W. V. asks all societies to appoint representatives at once to meet Friday, May 11, to form a celebration and sub-committees.

It is thought that with the spirit of co-operation for which Dixon is noted the parade can be made the biggest thing of the kind ever witnessed here and after the parade the G. A. R. exercises would be held as usual. In fact the big day will be arranged primarily in honor of the boys of '61 and '98, and at the same time will give means of a fitting and timely expression of patriotism and love of country. Further details will be announced later; at present it is desired that every organization in Dixon "get into the band wagon" and name representatives to meet at the Moose hall Friday evening, May 11.

NORTH DIXON TEAMS WINNERS YESTERDAY

TWO INTERESTING BASEBALL GAMES PLAYED ON NORTH SIDE DIAMOND.

Two games of playground baseball were played on the North Dixon grounds Wednesday evening, both resulting in victories for the north side teams. The 7th and 8th grades of the north side defeated a team from the same grades of the south side by a score of 15 to 5. The batteries were Knid and Reilly, north side; Noble and Rubenstein, south side. The Love Land 5th and 6th grades were defeated by the 5th and 6th grades of the north side, score 9 to 8. The batteries for the north side were DuVall and and it plunged into a ditch, turning Ryan; Loveland school, Dogwiler, etc., completely over. The driver had a miraculous escape from more serious in

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Intrepid French Aviator In Battle With Balloons, Railway Train, Convoys

By Henry Wood
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

With the French Armies, April 15 (By Mail)—Captain Matton, of the French Aviation service, who has just been promoted an "ace" for having brought down his fifth German machine, has also to his credit aeroplane combats with sausage balloons, with railway trains and with automobile convoys.

The last of his exploits demonstrates to some degree the extended field of operations in which the aeroplane has come to be used by the French in the present war. Matton's rise from the rank of second lieutenant to that of captain and his entrance into the ranks of the "aces" is one of the shortest that the war has produced.

Just eight months ago Matton was merely a second lieutenant without an enemy machine to his credit. His first victory came on July 28, 1916, in the thick of the fighting at Verdun. In company with two other French aviators he attacked a German bombing squadron of fourteen machines.

The one he picked out for his victim was quickly forced to land within

MEYER LONDON
Socialist Who Protests Root's Mission to Russia.



Photo by American Press Association

BOY OF 15 PASSED AS 18 AND ENLISTED

SON OF FORMER ROCHELLE PASTOR ACCEPTED—FATHER STOPS HIM.

Rochelle, May 3—One of the best examples of patriotism which has been brought to our attention is the enlistment of Russell Perry, a son of Rev. Albertus Perry of Park Ridge, Ill., formerly pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church in this city. Russell, who is a broad-shouldered and husky lad for his age, was walking down the streets of Chicago when he met a recruiting officer who asked him if he didn't want to enlist. The boy said "Sure," and was examined and accepted in the U. S. recruiting office. He notified his father on Sunday evening just before Mr. Perry was to go into the pulpit. The boy's patriotism so overcame the father that he was unable to deliver his sermon. He returned home and after a conference the father and son returned to the recruiting office and explained that Russell was only 15 years of age. The lad had enlisted as 18. One of Russell's chums enlisted the same stunt unknown to his parents and is now in the service. He also was below the required age.

WANT BUSINESS MEN IN OFFICERS RESERVE

GREAT NEED OF COMPETENT EXECUTIVES WHO HOLD RESPONSIBLE POSITIONS.

Chicago, Ill., May 3, 1917.

"We have the application this morning," said Major Malone, at the war department, "of a man who is the principal owner and head of a million dollar business which he has worked up from nothing. He is past forty, his military experience is extremely limited and he barely meets the physical requirements, but we are going to accept him because we need not one but many scores of just such men in the line."

"We can get all kinds of business executives who are willing to act on committees, but we are not getting a sufficient number of mature men between the ages of 36 and 44 to go out to the forts and to train for taking positions right with the men on the march and at the war front."

"Of course I appreciate that the best men without proper military experience cannot make ideal officers. But we have not enough men for the proper military experience, so we are glad to get mature men who are willing to learn."

"It is not near as important now as experience in executive positions whether at the head of a business or at the head of an important department in any business."

"Such men are needed and are needed especially right now for the first volunteer officers."

Applications are being received by mail and in person at Room 502, Military Training Camps Association, at the War Department.

Applicants may enter any day from May 8th to May 14th.

The recruiting for officers' reserve corps in Dixon is in charge of G. B. Shaw. He will explain all details.

AUTO TURNED TURNED IN DITCH

Sterling Man Slightly Injured In Accident Near Pawpaw.

Fred Brucker of Sterling was cut and bruised about the body when his automobile turned turtle near Pawpaw late yesterday afternoon, due to failure of the steering gears. He was in route home from Pawpaw when suddenly he lost control of the car and it plunged into a ditch, turning completely over. The driver had a miraculous escape from more serious in

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PHIDIAN ART CLUB IS PATRIOTIC BODY

DONATION OF FIFTY DOLLARS TO RED CROSS AN ACT OF PATRIOTISM.

The action of the Phidian Art club of Dixon, which voted \$50 to the Dixon chapter of the American Red Cross at its meeting recently, is a splendid precedent and keeps that organization in its usual place as a progressive leader in all movements for the public welfare.

The giving of money to the American Red Cross at this time is the most patriotic action any citizen has an opportunity of doing. The ladies of the Phidian Art club are to be congratulated upon their patriotism and generosity and their understanding of their nation's need.

OPENING CEREMONIES POSTPONED

Unfavorable Weather Prevents Community Club Festivities Today.

Because of the extremely unfavorable weather the flag-raising and grand opening ceremonies of the Dixon Country club, which had been scheduled for today, have been indefinitely postponed. It is desired that the weather for the opening event be as favorable as possible, as a golf match will be a feature.

START SEWER WORK

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THE WEATHER

Wednesday, May 2, 1917
Probable showers tonight and Thursday; cooler Thursday.
Monday 50 41
Tuesday 47 34

PREPARING SEIZED SHIPS FOR SERVICE

71 OF GERMAN AND AUSTRIAN CRAFT TO BE MADE READY IN FIVE MONTHS.

FRENCH MISSION BEFORE HOUSE

Cries of "Viva La France" Greet Distinguished Visitors—Viviani Made Speech.

(Associated Press)

Washington, May 3—71 German and Austrian ships, of total tonnage of 536,000, which were seized by the U. S. government when war was declared, will be repaired and ready for commission within five months.

Received French Mission.

The French mission was received on the floor of the house today by roars, cheers and cries of "Vive la France" from the floor and the galleries. Viviani delivered a stirring address in French and the members of the commission shook hands with the representatives. Viviani kissed the hand of Representative Janette Rankin.

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U. S. Sailing Vessel Sunk.

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Capt. Harris of Vacuum Had Terrible Struggle For Life.

(Associated Press)

London, May 3—Capt. Harris of the U. S. S. Vacuum, and eight other survivors, landed today after a terrible battle for life in which their boat overturned three times. Naval Lieutenant Thomas was buried at sea, having died of exposure.

Will Use Allies' Ammunitions

Council of National Defense Says the Allies Are Over-Supplied.

(Associated Press)

Washington, May 3—The curtailing of passenger service and shipment of this country's entire output of rolling stock and rails to the allies is forecasted by Daniel Willard of the Council of National Defense before a meeting of governors. Because the allies have more munitions than they need American soldiers that go to France will have to use the allies' guns and munitions according to How ard Coffin.

INSPECTED FIRE TRUCK

A traveling inspector of the White Motor company was in Dixon yesterday looking over the auto fire truck. It is a part of the White policy to keep all its trucks in first class condition all the time by maintaining expert inspectors on the road.

FIVE TINY WOLVES.

Visitors at Nett's garage today have been interested in five tiny wolves huddled together in a box in their efforts to keep warm. The animals were captured on the Knapp farm west of Hahnenmann, but the mother was not caught.

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CHAMP IS "AGIN' IT.

(Associated Press)

Washington, May 3—Speaker Clark left the chair today to open the fight to strike out the censorship section of the house espionage bill, which he said violated the constitutional guarantee of free speech and a free press.

SEVEN JOINED SHRINE.

Seven Dixon men joined the Mystic Shrine at Rockford yesterday: F. M. Coe, Rodney Ayres, Bert Smise, Dr. Murphy of Dixon, G. Harris and Amos Bosworth.

EXPECT BIG CROWD AT TONIGHT'S MEET

CARE OF UNCLE SAM'S SOLDIERS WILL BE SUBJECT OF ADDRESS.

Col. W. B. Brinton, President of the Dixon Chamber of Commerce, will introduce B. S. Pearsall, President of the Elgin Chamber of Commerce, at a mass meeting at the City Hall this evening. The meeting will commence at 8 o'clock and will be held in the Council Chamber. The affair is under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. and is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Pearsall was at the front with the U. S. army during the Mexican trouble, and his talk on "Making Our Boys Into American Soldiers" will be an interesting history of experiences on the border.

The meeting will undoubtedly be largely attended, for the subject is one of intense interest to the public at this time.

PLOW COMPANY BUYS SANTONE HOTEL BLDG.

WILL REMODEL BUILDING AND USE IT AS OFFICE FOR COMPANY.

The Grand Detour Plow company has purchased of Mrs. Mary Duffy the buildings known as the Santone Hotel, adjoining the Grand Detour Plow company's property on the south. The buildings will be remodeled and used by the plow company as offices, according to the announcement made to the Telegraph by Col. W. B. Brinton.

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NEW WORLD'S SIAB RECORD

AS PRICES RISE HIGH COST OF LIVING HITS THE RAILROADS

Service Will Be Crippled Unless Relief Comes Soon.

EXPENSES UP, RATES DOWN

Wasteful and Conflicting Regulations Hamper Railroad Credit, While Advance in Labor and Materials Outstrips Revenues, Chairman Krutschmidt Tells Congress Committee. Unified Federal Control Will Improve Conditions.

Washington, April 2.—The condition in which the railroads find themselves as a result of constant increases in wages, prices of material, taxes and other expenses, while their revenues are restricted by legislation, was strikingly described by Julius Krutschmidt, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Southern Pacific Company, in his testimony during the past few days before the Joint Congressional Committee on Interstate Commerce, which is making a study of the question of railroad regulation. Mr. Krutschmidt urged the committee to recommend a plan of regulation which will center responsibility for regulation and its results in the federal government, so that conditions affecting both expenses and revenues may be made subject to a uniform policy instead of the wasteful and often conflicting policies involved in the system of combined state and federal regulation.

Why Roads Need More Money.

Mr. Krutschmidt's testimony also had a bearing on the reasons for the application of the roads to the Interstate Commerce Commission for a general advance in freight rates. He showed that while the price of transportation has declined in recent years, the cost of producing transportation, like the cost of almost everything else, has rapidly advanced. This he illustrated by showing that if freight and passenger rates had increased during the past twenty years in the same proportion as average commodity prices the railroads of the United States would have received \$1,654,000,000 more for transportation in 1915 than they did receive.

This saving to the public was effected, in spite of an increase of 93 per cent in the cost of operation of trains, by a reduction in the average passenger rate per mile from 26¢ cents in 1895 to 13¢ cents in 1915, a decrease of 3 per cent, and by a reduction in the average freight rate per ton mile from 8.39 mills in 1885 to 7.3 mills in 1915, or 13 per cent. During the same period

the cost of operation per train mile rose from 92 cents to \$1.78, almost doubling. At the same time the average price of 346 commodities enumerated in a bulletin of the Department of Agriculture increased 115 per cent. Transportation is practically the only commodity in general use that has not increased tremendously in price during the past twenty years, freight and passenger charges being lower than they were twenty years ago.

Big Saving to Public.

If rates had risen proportionately to the increase in the cost of other articles of ordinary use, Mr. Krutschmidt told the committee, the average passenger rate in 1915 would have been 2.95 cents a mile, or 50 per cent higher than it was, and the average freight rate would have been 1.21 cents, or 66 per cent higher than it was. The saving to the public in passenger fares through this difference was \$314,000,000 and in freight rates \$1,340,000,000.

Universal railroad bankruptcy under this reduction in rates and increased cost of operation, he said, was avoided only by heavy expenditures to obtain increased efficiency in train movement, making it possible to haul more tons of freight per locomotive. This had reduced the average cost of hauling a ton of freight, but the decline in the average freight rate had reduced the net revenue of the roads from each ton hauled. If the operating costs of the railroads, including the prices of coal, labor and material, continue to advance at the present rate a lot of railroads will be in the hands of receivers by 1918 unless some relief is afforded, Mr. Krutschmidt told the committee.

"Owing to the rise of commodity prices," he said, "the purchasing power of the dollar has fallen 55 per cent and the railroads are in the position of being compelled by law to accept payment for their service to the public in currency worth 45 cents on the dollar.

Public's Chief Interest.

The public's greatest interest is in adequate transportation facilities and not so much in low rates. As to most commodities freight rates form a very small proportion of their cost. Excluding low grade commodities, the percentage of the freight rate to the cost is so slight as to offer no justification for any substantial increase in prices to the consumer. It may be stated with little fear of contradiction that the consumer seldom, if ever, profits from a lowering of freight rates.

"Extortionate charges are a thing of the past, and under the attempt to entice to their lowest possible figure the interests of the whole public in the character and standard of transportation is subordinated to the interest of that part of the public only that profits by lower rates—that is to say, the shippers and their agents and not the general public, the ultimate consumer."

Mrs. Gus Schweinsberg attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Ed Fagan, Sr., of Harmon Wednesday.

Willard Countryman, accompanied by Raymond Worsley, will motor to Racine, Wisconsin, today.

KAZAN

BY
JAMES
LIVER
CUPWOOD



Photo © by Moffett.

WILLIAM HALE THOMPSON.

O., president of the board of trustees, announced the offer of Mayor Thompson.

Plans have already been made for opening the Patriotism Department.

The university was established by General O. O. Howard at the suggestion of Abraham Lincoln himself. The institution now stands as a living monument to the immortal rail splitter.

Illiterate youthful mountaineers have been known to walk over a hundred miles with their goods and chattels tied up in a bandanna handkerchief to be "educated" at the university where rudimentary as well as the highest branches of learning are taught.

These people are of the pure American stock from which came Lincoln and other men famed and honored through American history—Admiral Farragut, Andrew Jackson, Uncle Joe Cannon, Fighting Bob Evans and Sam Houston. A campaign to raise a \$1,600,000 endowment for the university is now under way. Chancellor John Wesley Hill has announced that about \$300,000 has

KAZAN, the wolf dog of the great snows, is a tale of battle for master, for mate and for offspring; battle for life and the needs of hunger with the wild and bitter elements of the arctic night.

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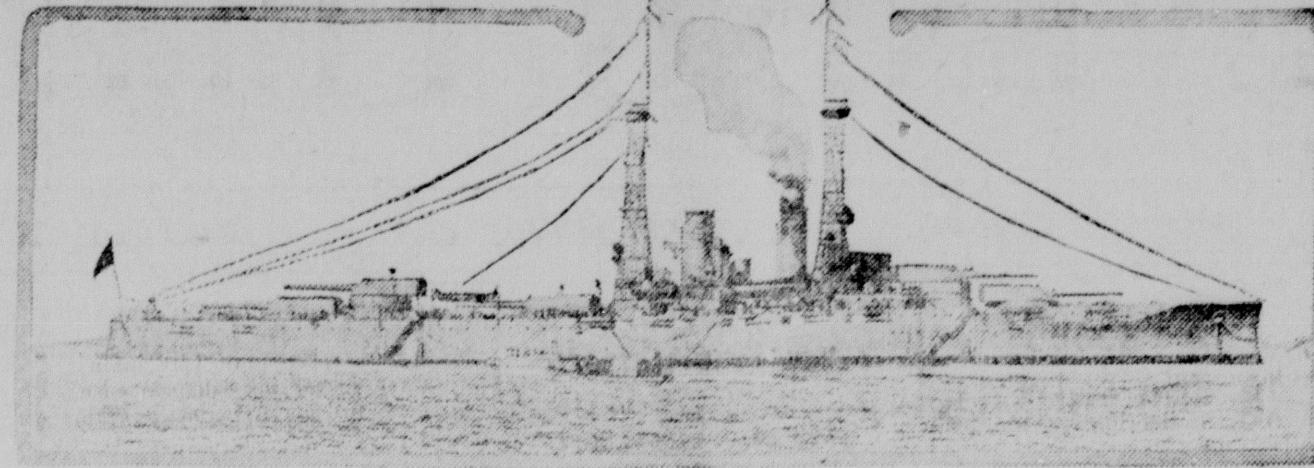


STUDENT HUNTERS WHO MAY BECOME PART OF LINCOLN BATTALION.

already been provided. On Lincoln's birthday next a celebration will be held at Cumberland Gap, at which a trainload of prominent visitors from all parts of the country will commence the closing of the fund. It was on a similar occasion last Feb. 12 that Mayor Thompson was present with 500 other distinguished guests.

The following were recently elected

UNITED STATES BATTLESHIP NEW YORK



COLLEGE COURSE IN PATRIOTISM

Chicago's Mayor Starts Chair in Lincoln University.

STUDENTS TRUE AMERICANS

New York City.—For the first time in the history of American education a chair has been established for the teaching of American Patriotism. Inspired by the work being done by the Lincoln Memorial University, W. E. Hale Thompson, mayor of Chicago, will provide \$25,000 for this purpose.

The students of the university have already volunteered their services to the United States for war, and as they are from the hardiest stock of mountaineers, from which 150,000 men were recruited to fight the battles of the union, their offer has been favorably received by the government.

At a recent dinner given by the university in honor of Major General Wood, Frank A. Seiberling of Akron,

trustee of the endowment fund; Marcus M. Marks, president of the borough of Manhattan, New York city; Jacob M. Dickinson, former secretary of war; Samuel P. Avery of Hartford, Conn.; A. L. Garford of Elyria, O.; Theodore E. Burton, former senator from Ohio, now president of the Merchants' National bank of New York, who has been elected treasurer. He is receiving voluntary contributions from throughout the entire country. One recently came from a soldier's widow saying, "This mite is my tribute to Lincoln." Every dollar contributed goes to the endowment fund without cost of commission or any item of expense.

How the World May End.
Sometimes it has been suggested that the world will gradually become cold, so that life will be frozen out. M. Labourdin, a French novelist, however, thinks it possible that the earth may end in an incandescent blaze.

The earth's crust, he says, is very thin at the bottom of the sea, and should it give way in consequence of volcanic action the earth might be consumed in flames.

"Suppose," he states, "that, following an extraordinary twisting movement, due to retreat of the central mass, a large mass of the sea bottom should give way, and, falling suddenly, should let in the mass of the ocean's waters upon the incandescent interior matter. The water would be decomposed by the heat, the hydrogen would burn, and it would burn more as it had access to more oxygen."

"The conflagration would then gain force, accompanied by electric phenomena, and the greater part of the earth's crust would probably be disengaged. The earth passing through a critical epoch and returning for the time being to its formative period would again be nothing but a globe of fire."

What Corns Are.

Corns are hard growths which occur on the toe or some other part of the foot. They are generally the result of wearing a shoe too small for the foot, says the Popular Science Monthly. They are thickenings of the outer layer of the skin in the center of which is a nail-like peg which projects downward and hurts when pressed upon. Soft corns form between the toes and are only different from others in that they are soaked with perspiration all the time. The corn itself is composed of a lump of the outer part of the skin which is caused by the pressure of the shoe at that spot. However, the corn would not result unless the pressure were taken off at intervals, and this, of course, is done when you take the shoe off. It stands to reason that if the pressure were continuously applied to this spot the skin instead of overgrowing at that precise point would waste away. The overgrowth of the skin is due to the irritation produced by the pressure.

Persistence of Custom.
It is a present day custom for the members of the English parliament to bow three times before taking their seats. An American, mystified by this strange custom, inquired the reason for it. He was astonished to find the Englishmen could not tell him. No one seemed to know, not even the men who did the bowing, but after much research the mystery was cleared away. The buildings of parliament had once burned, and the members were quartered for a period in St. Stephen's chapel. Having the altar of the church before them, they made the customary bows to Father, Son and Holy Ghost. When they moved into their present abode they did not take the altar with them, but they kept on bowing nevertheless.—Case and Comment.

Profit by These.
Do not be content with following good advice; catch up with it.

Keep an eye on the job ahead, but keep the other eye and both hands on the job you have.

There is plenty of room at the top, because those who get there are the few who started early to avoid the rush.

The man who goes halfway to meet Fortune is more likely to find her than the man who waits for her to knock at his door.

The men who succeed best when they work for others are those who see that in doing so they are also working for themselves.

Plain of Damascus.
The fertile plain in which Damascus is situated is about thirty miles in diameter and is due to the river Barada, which is probably the Abana of Scripture. Two other streams, the Wady Helbon on the north and the Awaj on the south, increase this fertility, and these two contend for the honor of representing the Phosphorus, the other scriptural stream.

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Vacation and Efficiency.

It is the change really more than the rest that is of so much value in a vacation. Besides the absorption of the fatiguing products, there is an opportunity given those functions which have remained inactive and sluggish, and even atrophic, to exercise and develop. It is a restoration of balance. For confined and sedentary workers even hard and coarse country work is restful and invigorating. For indoor workers this sort of a vacation means a new lease on life. Very often a border line case of tuberculosis is maintained a little longer above the line by a proper vacation. The increased tendency to arteriosclerosis and other degenerative conditions, as well as premature senility, nearly all the result of high pressure and efficiency, can be much neutralized by periodic vacations, a vacation free from the grind, of course, but also from the worry incident thereto. The vacation is a therapeutic measure come to stay.—New York Medical Journal.

Effect of Wind Upon Sound.

One of the government scientists gives an interesting explanation of the action of the wind in preventing the spread of sound.

It is, he claims, not the wind as such that prevents sound from traveling against it, but differences in the strength of the wind. If, for instance, the wind is stronger above than below or stronger at one side its effect will be to tilt the sound waves in one direction or another. Differences of temperature in the air also cause deflection of the waves of sound. Other atmospheric causes exist which deflect sound from a straight course. Some of the sirens in this country, says this scientist, produce sounds which ought theoretically to be audible at a distance of 1,500 miles; but, in fact, the authorities are satisfied if they are heard only two miles away. The reason for the discrepancy between calculation and experiment was probably atmospheric deflection of the sound.

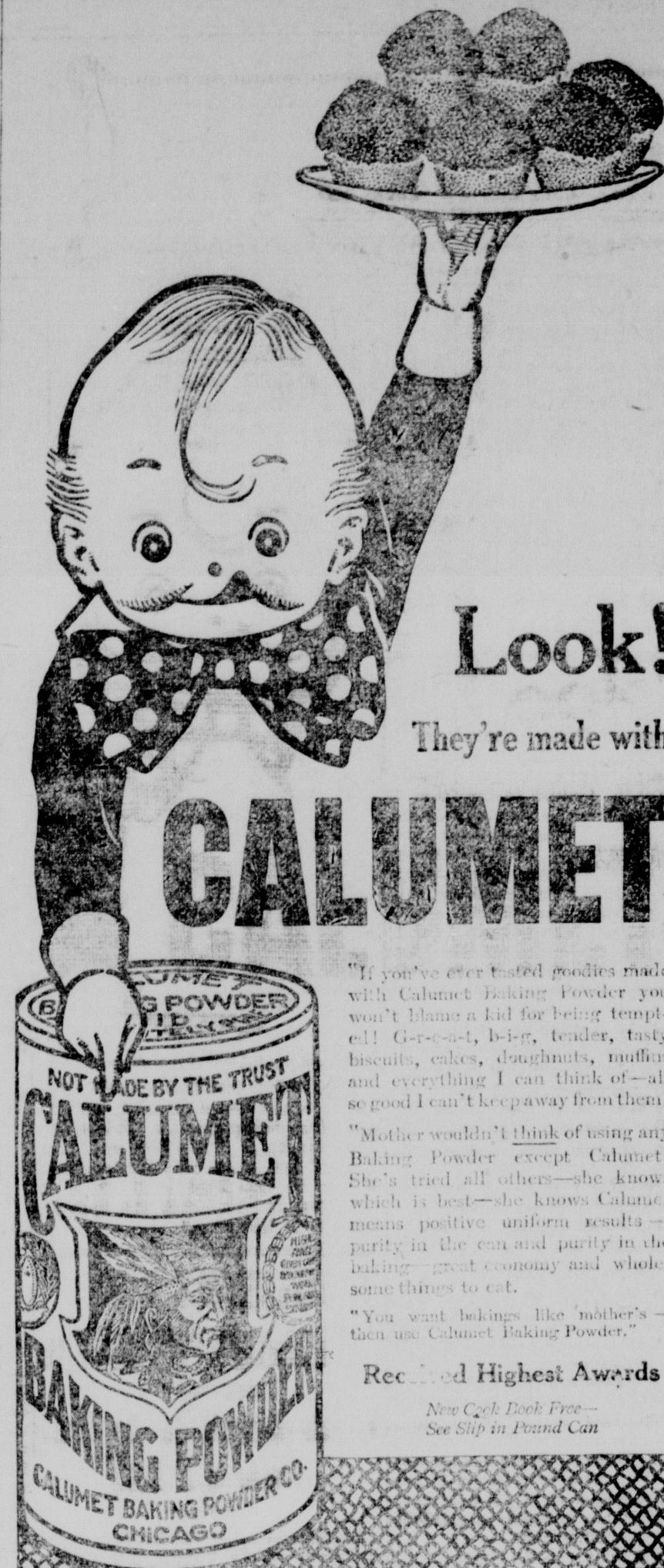
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Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

Thursday
Cly Alt Club, Mrs. Lewis Drummond.

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St. Paul's Aid, Mrs. William Flinton.

M. E. Foreign Missionary Society, Miss Ada and Bess Decker.

A. P. C. Club, Mrs. Henry Scull.

City Guild, Mrs. C. H. Stackpole.

Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's.

Mrs. Wm. Pilson.

Zion Missionary, Zion Lutheran church.

Lincoln Crochet Club, Kingdom Crochet Club, and Kingdom-Bend Aid, Mrs. Washington Miller.

Friday.

C. C. Circle, Miss Susie Moser, Assembly Park.

Thursday Reading Circle, Mrs. J. W. Watts.

Saturday.

D. A. R. Meeting, Mrs. Clinton Judd.

Red Cross Home Nursing Class, Nachusa Tavern.

K. L. C. E. to Re-organize.
The Keystone League of Christian Endeavor of the Eldena U. E. church will meet the coming Sunday evening for re-organization. Although not disbanded the society was not active during the winter months. It is hoped that the enrollment will be greatly enlarged and that the attendance of young people on Sunday evening will be large.

Visited in Chicago
Mrs. M. H. Vail returned Tuesday from a week's visit in Chicago with her father, R. J. Bennett, her brother and other relatives.

Dined at Grand Detour
Miss Sylvia DuVall, Mr. Wilcox, and Mr. McGovern were among the guests at dinner at the Sheffield Hotel, Grand Detour, last evening.

At South Dixon Home
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shoemaker of Eldena were entertained on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grobe of S. Dixon.

Guests on Sunday
Misses Nellie Welch and Cora Shoemaker and Orris Shoemaker of Amboy were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Littrell of Eldena.

To Entertain
Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell and Mrs. Howard will entertain at the Campbell home Friday evening.

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For Mrs. McGraw

Murphy-Wuerth
William E. Wuerth and Mrs. Mary Jones Murphy were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Judge R. S. Farrand and witnessed by Mr. and Mrs. Mild Stratton. The bride looked very charming in a dark blue charmeuse gown trimmed with white, with which were worn white shoes, dark blue coat, white fox neck piece, and black Milan hat. The happy couple departed on the 6:10 train for Chicago amid a shower of rice from many friends gathered at the depot. After a brief honeymoon in Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Wuerth will take up their residence in the beautiful new home which was recently completed for them at 405 E. Second street. Their friends extend hearty good wishes for their happiness.

Afternoon Coffee
The North and South Side Circles of the Industrial Department of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Baptist Church were entertained at "Silver Coffee" Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Chiverton with Mrs. Chiverton and Mrs. R. W. Sprout as hostesses. Fruit salad, wafers, cake, and coffee were served, with lavender and white as the color scheme, carried out in the napkins and icing of the small cakes. The afternoon was spent in fancy work and the social aspect given this meeting proved very enjoyable.

Surprise the Harry Taylors
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor (nee Miss Katherine Miller of Amboy) who live near the Chicago Road were pleasantly surprised last evening by a company of friends, who gathered to give them a miscellaneous shower, as their wedding occurred but a month or two ago. The evening was passed very pleasantly in games and music and a delicious scramble supper was served. A number of pretty and useful gifts were presented in the shower.

Circus Dinner
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roe entertained with a Circus dinner party Thursday evening preceding attendance at the circus. The table was most attractive. A caged canary represented the menagerie and was surrounded by red and white tulips while above floated two balloons. The place cards were clowns.

Entertainment to Meet
The Rock River Tribe of the Lone Scouts took a trip to Nachusa last Saturday, April 28th. After the scouts cooked and ate their dinner they went to the spring for a drink and then started for home. The scouts all said they had a good time, enjoying it so much that they want to go again, although all were pretty weary upon reaching home.

Benefit Dance Tonight
The dancing party this evening at Rosbrook hall, given by the Ladies of the Grand Army, promises to be very enjoyable. The ladies have prettily decorated the hall in flags and have secured the services of the Marquette orchestra, and nothing remains but a goodly sized crowd to insure a pleasant evening. As the party is a benefit for old soldiers, their wives, and widows, it is certain that Dixon people, who are not at all backward in expression of their patriotism, will largely attend. The ladies gave an enjoyment and well attended card party this afternoon.

Frolickers Dance
The Frolickers, a club of high school young men, will give their dancing party at Rosbrook's hall tomorrow evening from 9 to 1 o'clock and the great success of their first party two weeks ago should assure a big attendance tomorrow evening. The Marquette orchestra will furnish the music and the admission is free.

Discontinue Parties
The Community Club, which has held a number of very pleasant dancing parties at the Palmyra town hall during the winter and spring, has discontinued the parties for the summer.

P. N. G. Club
The P. N. G. Club will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at L. O. O. F. Hall.

Philathaea Class Meeting
The Philathaea Class of the Grace Evangelical church will meet Monday evening at the church. The hostesses will be the Misses Rachel and Henrietta Bush.

To Visit in Oak Park
Mrs. J. W. Stephen went to Oak Park this morning for a few days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Julian Hart.

St. Paul's Choir
The chorister of St. Paul's desires the presence of all members of the choir at rehearsal Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

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An invitation has been extended to the Woman's Relief Corps to attend the meeting at the City Hall this evening.

Dined at the Sheffield
Dr. and Mrs. Clevidence, Mrs. Noble, Miss Florence Noble, and Mrs. Benjamin were dinner guests at the Sheffield hotel, Grand Detour, last evening.

Mystic Dance
The Mystic Workers are planning to hold a dance on May 10th.

For Mrs. McGraw
Miss Fannie Ingram gave a luncheon today for Mrs. Dana McGraw of Faribault, Minn.

Farewell Party
Mrs. J. Heberer was surprised Wednesday evening at the home of her brother, Albert Legeal of West First street. Thirty friends and relatives called to give her a farewell as she leaves soon with her husband and little ones for the new home in Wisconsin. Music was enjoyed during the evening. The misses Ethel Bollman, Ruth Missman, and Myrtle Shaffer and Albert Legeal gave vocal selections, and the Bollman trio, accompanied by Miss Mary Bollman, gave a number of pleasing songs. A delicious supper was served. Mrs. S. Legeal of Alpeny was an out-of-town guest.

O. E. S. Meeting
A regular meeting of Dorothy chapter, No. 371, O. E. S., will be held Friday evening in Masonic Hall. Several candidates will be initiated and all members should attend.

"Swap" Social
The Sugar Grove Willing Workers will give a "Swap" social Friday evening at the church. Everyone is to bring some article to "swap" and a great deal of merriment is expected, and mayhaps a good bargain, if the swapper is enough of a Yankee. The public in general is invited. Ice cream and cake will be served. There will be a small admission fee charged.

With Nelson Friends
Miss Olive Hartzel is a guest at the Ross Emmitt home south of Nelson, where she will be entertained for several days.

Twenty-fifth Wedding Anniversary
Mr. and Mrs. Espy are celebrating their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary today. They will give a dinner this evening at which their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Hobeg, will be guests.

Entertained at Dinner
Dr. and Mrs. Owens and Mrs. J. McAlpine were dinner guests Tuesday of Miss Grace Crawford.

For Little Daughter
The Inter Non Circle met at the home of Mrs. Fred Hobeg of College avenue Wednesday afternoon. The birthday of the little daughter of Mrs. Hobeg, Anna Marie, was celebrated with five other little ones, as well as the members of the circle, to aid in making the afternoon a happy one. White carnations and ferns decorated the luncheon table and Miss Baby's chair was draped in white and a tiny bouquet of flowers marked her place. A beautiful cake, bearing its one white candle in a rose holder, attracted the attention of little tots and grownups. Place cards and napkins carried the blue symbol. A delicious luncheon was served.

For Miss Smith
The afternoon bridge given by Mrs. Frank Downing for Miss Smith on Wednesday culminated very happily in a miscellaneous shower for Miss Smith and many pretty gifts fell to her lot. Fourteen guests were present including Mrs. Entegue of Freeport, formerly Cornelia Thomas of Dixon, and until recently of McAllister, Okla. An attractive luncheon was served with tulips as the flowers.

In Detroit
Mrs. Carl Wagner and daughter are visiting in Detroit with her mother.

Party in Franklin
On Friday evening the Slothrop orchestra will play for a private dancing party, given in Lincoln Hall, Franklin Grove.

Wehafun Club
The Wehafun Club meets tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Louis Schumacher to prepare for the coming May party.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL
Mrs. LeRoy Gaul, who was so badly burned some time ago when her clothing caught fire from a bonfire, was taken home yesterday from the hospital. It will be several weeks before the burns will be entirely healed.

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Mandolin Club Dance
Tomorrow evening at the new armory the Dixon Mandolin Club will give its second benefit for the Boys of Company G. Everything above expenses is given to the company for "extras" to their bill of fare, etc. The public can do a good turn for the soldier boys and spend an enjoyable evening at the same time.

U. S. TROOPS TO FRANCE AT ONCE
President Assures General Joffre at Conference.

NATIONAL GUARD GETS HONOR

Only Small Number Will Be Sent Across Sea in First Expedition
Britain Is Asked for Transports. Regulars to Remain in U. S. to Drill Recruits.

Washington, May 3.—President Wilson and General Joffre conferred at length over America's cooperation in military activities in France. No announcement was made after the conference. Everything indicated, however, that a small group of American troops, probably drawn from the national guard, would be sent within a month to France.

This decision has been reached on account of the morale of having American troops at the French front. It would say more eloquently than oral or written pledges, officials believe, that the United States is in and to stay. The French and British commissioners are said to be highly pleased with the prospect.

Britain to Be Asked for Transport.
After the French marshal's call at the White House, it was learned at the war department the British government would be asked the loan of transports to send the American troops to the continent. Transports which have been used for taking Canadian forces to England probably will be loaned the United States.

It was predicted unofficially by officers of the general staff that probably no more than four brigades of Americans would be sent abroad within the next two months. These would go in at least two groups. Officials said that national guard troops could be spared more easily at this time than units of the regular army. The army commissioned and non-commissioned officers would be employed in organizing and drilling the recruits which are now arriving at army posts and which would be assembled in concentration camps when application begins of the new army selective conscription measure.

The guard already is quite prepared for the expedition in the opinion of war department officials. The pick of the militia most likely will be sent. The militia service on the Mexican border last summer gave the men and officers an experience which it is believed has prepared them for a campaign.

Officials said that no actual preparations have been begun for sending any large bodies of men to France. Much is to be done in recruiting and training, filling the gaps in the regular army and in organizing new units.

The presence at the French front of even a small body of American soldiers is expected to be the beginning of a vast American army to support the French and British lines, an American representation which would grow as the war spirit and war preparations in this country gain momentum.

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With identification complete, the sheriff and police renewed their efforts to locate the slayer. They have no clew upon which to work.

The American Marriage.
It has long been axiomatic that the American wife esteems herself on her superiority to her husband, though she refrains from telling him so. On the other hand, the American business man has ever been accused of sacrificing his wife on the altar of his own absorption in money-making, and of delaying the wounds due to his neglect with the ointment of unlimited credit.

—Robert Grant in Scribner's.

Urge Judge Graves for High Court.
Kewanee, Ill., May 3.
Friends of Judge Emery C. Graves of Henry county, now on the circuit and appellate bench, are urging him to become a candidate for Justice of the Illinois supreme court when the term of Justice C. C. Craig of Galena expires next year.

Commission Form Retained.
Marseilles, Ill., May 3.
Marseilles voted to retain the commission form of government by 115 majority. The referendum vote against the ordinance granting saloon licenses carried by 101 majority, making the city dry.

Strike for Eight Hour Day.
Granite City, Ill., May 3.
Five hundred men in the plant of the Commonwealth Steel company at Granite struck for an eight hour day at the wage now paid for nine hours. It is announced that the demands will be granted.

Urge Government to Regulate Prices.
Quincy, Ill., May 3.
The Quincy city council passed a resolution urging the United States government to regulate and fix the price of food, fuel and clothing, declaring that extortions prices now exist.

Mayor Woodruff Hints of Lid.
Peoria, Ill., May 3.
Mayor Woodruff announced in his inaugural address to the council that hereafter the dram shop laws will be enforced in Peoria. This is taken to mean that he will close the saloons on Sunday.

Binding Twine Sold Out.
Springfield, Ill., May 3.
Central Illinois farmers who usually place orders early for binding twine have been advised that the supply has become exhausted, the output of all of the leading plants being sold out.

Carpenters Demand More Pay.
Rock Island, Ill., May 3.
Over 800 carpenters of Davenport, Rock Island and Moline went on strike. They demand a wage scale of 62½ cents an hour. The bosses will concede but 60 cents.

Catholic Church to Be Dedicated.
Prophetstown, Ill., May 3.
The new Prophetstown Catholic church will be dedicated by Bishop Muldoon of Rockford Sunday, May 6.

Women Ask Car Conductors' Jobs.
Quincy, Ill., May 3.
Seven women applied to the Quincy Street Car company for positions as conductors.

CRUTE BEHEADS LITTLE GIRL
Body of Memphis School Child Found in Swamp.

Memphis, Tenn., May 3.—Just as darkness was closing over the swamps of the lonely Wolf river region, a woman, carrying a little baby, was led to a headless body lying lifeless in the weeds and tangled grass. She was Mrs. Nancy Woods, stepmother of the murdered child. The child had been attacked and assaulted while riding a bicycle on her way to school.

With identification complete, the sheriff and police renewed their efforts to locate

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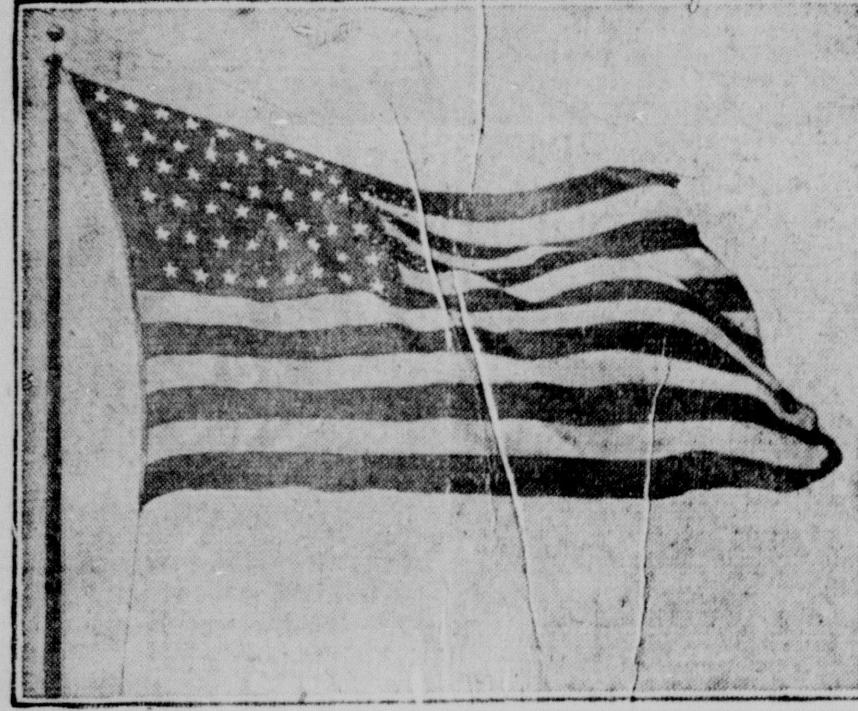
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CLEWS ON THE SITUATION

Henry Clews in his weekly letter from Wall street, says:

"The United States entered this war from the highest motives: those of preserving international freedom, justice and democracy against ruthless aristocracy. At the same time we have given the world a magnificent demonstration of our position as a world power. Our decision to join the allies in the fight for political freedom—not for territory, trade or indemnity—and our prompt efforts to send men, money and materials to their assistance is a step leading to tremendous consequences. Its probable influence upon our future can only be equaled by the American revolution and the civil war, and in many respects it will surpass both. Beyond question this great decision has raised us immensely in the respect of all nations, and our prestige and power has been correspondingly elevated."

Henceforth we will occupy a position of prominent leadership in the family of nations, so that our future for weal or for woe will largely depend upon the spirit in which we cultivate and maintain those new relations. If they are exercised with ideas of justice, tolerance and fair dealing our peaceful advancement is secure.

If, on the other hand, we indulge narrow-minded, ultra-selfish ambitions, or fall into intolerant and bombastic policies, our new departure will lead to disaster. We must, therefore, assiduously keep in mind that the future of democracy depends, not upon the state, but upon the individual who must first exemplify the spirit and the policies that he wishes his country to adopt.

There is much complaint in all directions about high prices and indications already point to lessened consumption. Food is very high and unless some relief is found some sort of government food control may be expected as a war measure. The labor situation also promises to become more acute. Scarcity is already pronounced and will be more so when a half to one million men are drawn into the army. Not less than three men are required at home to support those in the field, so that the labor situation calls for immediate and intelligent consideration. There are some industries from which no men should be withdrawn into the army, their services being much more valuable to the country in their present occupations.

President Wilson wisely called attention to the need of the cultivation of economy by the public. Extravagance should be discouraged in all quarters, and unnecessary labor should be released for more necessary purposes. Not only should economy be enforced, but production should be increased by every possible means. Some classes of labor may be asked to do their share by moderating or suspending during the war restrictions which have tended to increase the cost of commodities, especially in industries where war profits and war wages have aggravated inflationary tendencies. Some means will have to be found for overcoming scarcity. There is positively no other way than by enlarged individual output; and patriotism and self-interest should prompt such exertions, without which still higher prices will have to be endured.

We are in the whirl of war inflation and nothing can check it but wise economy and harder work. Slackers, wasters and prodigals in these times help the enemy and injure their country as well as themselves."

YOU CAN AID THE RED CROSS.

The men and women of Dixon who are working actively in the interests of the Red Cross are doing as much for America and the cause as anyone is doing in this country at this time. It is the most effective manner in which they can help. The work is splendid and surely deserves unlimited support.

Committees of Dixon women are working every day soliciting members and raising funds to carry on the Red Cross work. Dixon has a chapter of the American Red Cross and these women are doing their "bit" in a most commendable way. They are making Dixon's Red Cross chapter an organization of importance in this state.

The action of the county supervisors in giving \$500, and such organizations as the Elks, the Moose and the Phidian Art club, who donated money to the local chapter, gives Dixon and Lee county a chance to make a very creditable record in the matter of raising money for the Red Cross. It is now up to the individual citizens of Dixon to complete the subscription and raise the total to a figure that will compel attention.

The work of the Red Cross needs no praise. The needs of the organization are familiar to everyone. The duty that each citizen owes to the Red Cross needs no explanation. The time has come when everyone must do his or her share in whatever way possible. The giving of money to the Red Cross which, although it is a most important branch of the army, must depend upon private individuals for support, is the least that any of us can do.

The Englishman who proposed that women be given the ballot when they reach the age of thirty, is a wise guy. Few women would ever admit they were old enough to vote.

City In Brief

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Mrs. Johnson has returned from a visit in the West and is at the Naehus Tavern.

Mary McIntyre, R. N., has returned to LaSalle where she is on professional duty, after a visit at her home here.

Bradford Brinton submitted to an operation at the Dixon hospital this morning.

Mrs. Wm. Clopper and daughter of Polo attended the theatre here Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Fred Smith went to Chicago today.

Henry Murphy of Tucson, Ariz., is here to visit friends. Mr. Murphy has not been to Dixon for four years.

Mrs. Joseph Mall and daughter of Ashton were here today.

Mrs. Louis Loescher spent Wednesday in Chicago.

Mrs. W. J. Cahill returned last evening from several days visit in Chicago with her brother, M. J. Sheehan.

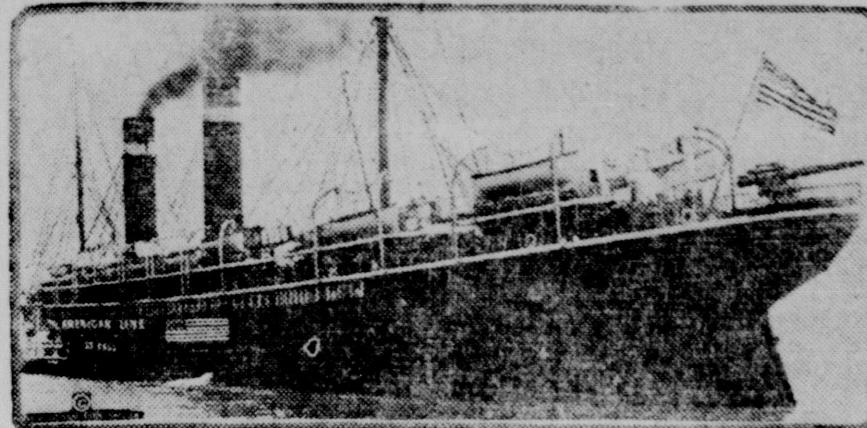
W. J. Cahill was in West Brooklyn today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lyons of Amboy were here today.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander of Amboy are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Alexander of Bluff Park.

Dwight Rolph has taken the contract for tile ditching for a drainage district near Chicago Heights and left today to take charge of the work.

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SPOILED CHILDREN.

Begin With Baby In the Cradle to Train His Disposition.

A baby becomes horribly spoiled before the mother wakes up to the fact at all. If the baby yells for something he should not have let him yell. It is far better that he should have one or two prolonged yelling sessions so that he can find out that his yelling will do no good rather than that he should learn that he can always get his way by letting out a few shrieks.

It is positively uncanny how the youngest babies seem to know whether they can impose on you or not. Your baby knows perfectly well whether you will yield to him or whether his shrieks will do him no good. If it is the latter they soon die out; if the former they continue until he has what he wants.

Later when the child passes his first year and learns to walk and to talk you will not have such a hard time enforcing obedience if you have already showed the child in his infancy that you are not to be imposed upon. As soon as the little one is old enough to talk he is old enough to reason with. When you wish to reprimand him for a naughtiness don't smile, but talk gravely. The baby knows the difference, never fear, and if you feel a desire to laugh at his cute expressions don't do it, because a laugh would spoil the effect and he would think you were not in earnest.

For the sake of your children's mental and moral welfare maintain discipline over them from infancy up.

"Safety First."

The man who smokes and the waste basket of wicker or other burnable fabric should never be trusted in a room together without trustworthy supervision.

If he be of the artist folk still more is it advisable to put this matter strongly lest some day the fire department arrive all too late.

The really desirable and efficient substitute where the businesslike metal receptacle seems too stiff and uncompromising a thing for household or studio use is a comfortably capacious jardiniere of plain dark red or olive or soft gray earthenware. Into this may be tossed cigarette ends or cigar ashes or the contents of his pipe, even though still glowing, without the fire danger always being present. To the housekeeper the "big jar" has also the advantage that pencil chips, charcoal dust, scraps or nutshell or clippings will never "leak" from it and become manifest on the rug or polished floor and the smooth glazed inner surface retains none of these when it is inverted for emptying.

Gowns of the Moment.

The gowns de luxe of the moment are certainly most distinctive. Gray liberty is blended with tulle and embroidered in oxidized silver. Long capes, which really are more like trains from the shoulder, fall all over the back in tulle and gossamer fabrics. Many vivid contrasts are introduced in mere touches, which, however infinitesimal, are effective. Light and tender yellow is fashionable, especially in velvet, and such velvet dresses quite ignore the waist line, while the decolletage is mostly bordered with beads and metallic thread ornamentation in yellow, gold and silver. Many evening gowns are quite narrow and trained, having tulle sleeves to the wrist. The jewel work on many gowns is superb, but must naturally be costly.

PHILOSOPHY POINTERS

A wise pullet will listen to the cackling of an old hen.

When a man says women do so and so, he means his wife.

The only remarkable thing about epigrams is that most of them aren't true.

A most necessary thing is the moral courage to disbelieve that we think we believe.

When a woman sighs for the simple life it's a sign her husband isn't making money.

Why should a woman be suspicious of any one who knew her husband before she did?

Never grieve over sorrows that are to come, but husband strength any joy to meet them.

If all the bees were to hang around the hive, the honey supply would indeed be scarce.

The punctual discharge of an unwelcome duty is the quickest way to make it a welcome duty.

A cynical friend defines a picnic as a place where your wife's relations seem to enjoy themselves.

We are all of us apt to conclude there is something wrong with the honest endeavor that doesn't pay in dollars.

No man or woman should become too much interested in bad gossip concerning their neighbor, but pray that the worst things about themselves will not be found out.

Send \$1.50 for a six months' trial of the Dixon Evening Telegraph, the oldest and largest paper in Lee county, now in its 68th year. The Telegraph, Dixon, Ill.

Dr. Thompson was in Chicago Wednesday.

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Under the efficient direction of Joseph von Trimbach, a native German chemist of renown, these ingredients are mixed and blended until final examination for commission will start May 7th. Captain Crozier, U. S. A., hopes to have 2,000 men under his orders.

RIFLES REPLACE BOOKS AT HARVARD

(By United Press) Cambridge, Mass., Apr. 30.—As a patriotic measure, Harvard started closing its academic year today for all students enrolled in the reserve officers training corps. Starting to day there will be six days of examinations for training corps members. The intensive training of the applicants for commission will start May 7th. Captain Crozier, U. S. A., hopes to have 2,000 men under his orders.

CASE CONTINUED

The case of Moser vs. Page, which was to have been tried in the circuit court yesterday, was continued for trial on the term on agreement of both parties. The suit of Continental & Company vs. National Bank vs. Roper, set for trial today, was settled.

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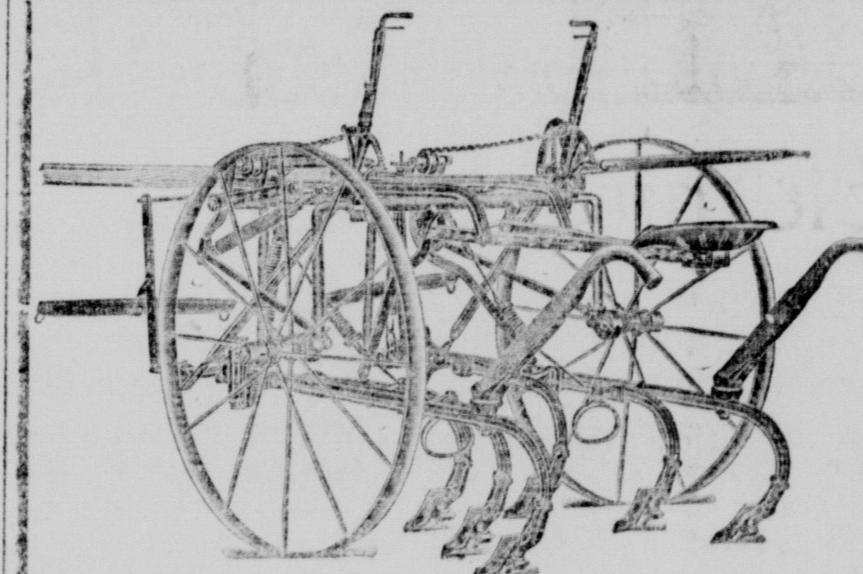
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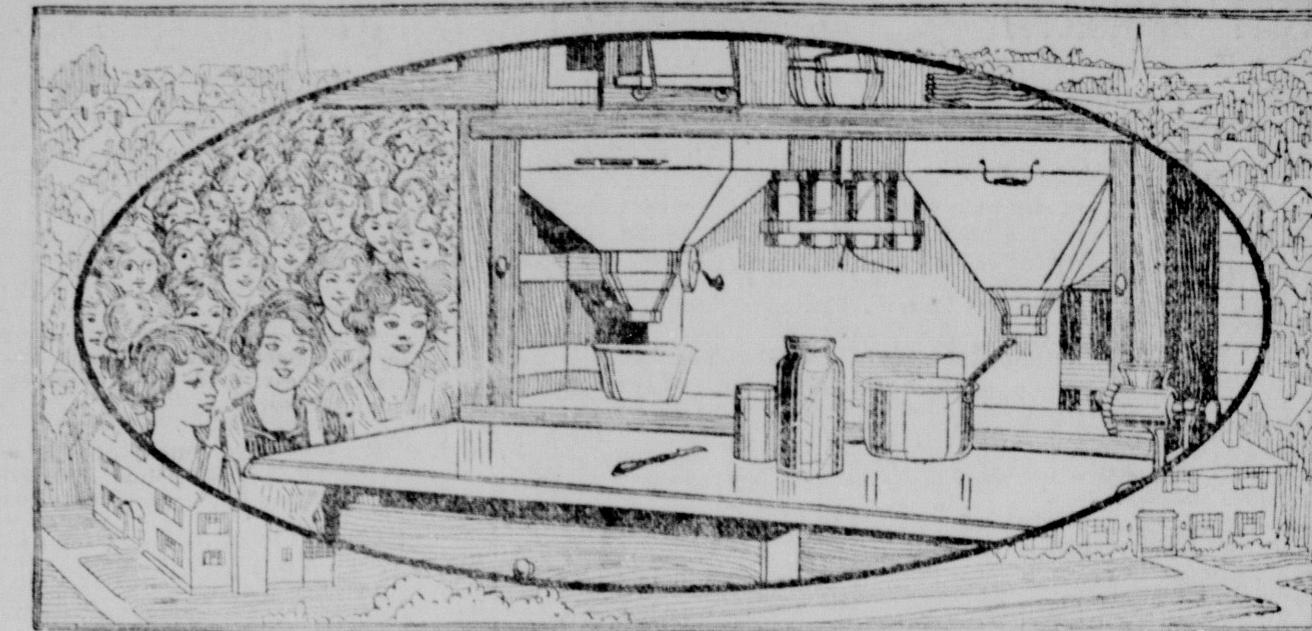
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WEST BROOKLYN

Andrew Barlow and family and Mrs. Addie Wahl of Amboy motored over Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. July of Searboro were here Tuesday.

George Dillon purchased a model 1917 Buick touring car Friday.

Theodore Barlow of Amboy visited with his many friends in West Brooklyn Saturday.

J. S. Durr was here Friday on business.

Joseph R. Mettelle of Odell visited this week with Mr. and Mrs. Aug. J. Gehant near here.

John C. Yost of South Brooklyn was in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. F. Gehant motored to Dixon Friday. Their daughter Stella returned home with her folks to spend Saturday and Sunday.

Jos. E. Vincent was here Thursday on business.

Miss Clara McCune of Sterling was here Thursday and Friday teaching her music classes.

H. A. Ladenberger was in town on Wednesday.

Prof. F. J. Morrissey visited in Amboy Thursday evening.

J. W. Thier has been hauling gravel to his farm preparing to erect a modern bungalow, to be occupied by himself and wife. The present residence will be occupied by his son George and family.

J. G. Halboth of South Brooklyn was here Thursday.

John Malach of Sublette spent Sunday evening here with Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Gehant.

Geo. F. Bauer was in town Friday on business.

Jos. J. Barr of Malta was here on business Saturday.

F. G. Knauer was in town Monday from Viola township.

The play "East Lynn" given at the opera house by home talent folks from Sublette drew a large crowd and everyone was well repaid for attending because the play was fine. The Sublette folks are good players and each did his part in good style. We hope that when they have other home talent plays to exhibit they will not forget to come to West Brooklyn. The dance following the play was also well patronized.

John Haub of Amboy was here on business Tuesday.

F. W. Meyer went to Chicago Monday to buy goods for the store.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sorrenson of Viola were here Monday.

C. P. Henkel and family went to Harmon Saturday evening to spend Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Long, Jr.

Edward Henry was in Chicago this week and ran out a couple more Ford cars for delivery to local people. He is expecting another carload in this week from the factory.

Levi Mehlbrech of Compton was in town Tuesday shopping.

Tell your friends of the big May dance in the opera house May 9th.

Have you secured one of those celluloid savings banks and started to save? If you have not done so, better call for a bank today. Furnished free Henry F. Gehant Banking Co.

Mrs. Lydia Berscheid.

Our community was shocked Wednesday, April 25, to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. Lydia Berscheid at her home in West Brooklyn. Her health had been none too good for a number of years but she had usually been able to look after her home and always to care for her family. About 9 o'clock Wednesday morning she fell unconscious and life lasted until that afternoon. She did not recognize anyone from the moment she fell. Dr. E. C. White was called, but he could give her no help.

Obituary.

Mrs. Lydia C. Berscheid was born at Lee Center, Ill., Sept. 19, 1860, being the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Polite Bresson. She died at the home in West Brooklyn April 25th 1917, aged 56 years, 7 months and 6 days.

She was united in marriage at Sublette, Ill., Feb. 15, 1887, to Henry Berscheid and to this union four children were born—three girls and one son. The latter, Edward, died in infancy. Mr. Berscheid passed away at the home, which was then the homestead in Viola township, on Nov. 22, 1911.

It was after the death of the husband and father that the family moved to West Brooklyn, where the widow and three daughters could look after the farm and have the advantages of church and school.

Mrs. Berscheid was a good Christian and always attentive to her duties. She was a devout Catholic and contributed to the support of her church in no small way. She was a member of the Society of Christian Mothers of St. Mary's church and the ladies of this organization attended her funeral in a body. They carried before them the handsome banner of the society, draped in crepe and mourning for the loss of their sister member.

The funeral services were conducted at St. Mary's church in West Brooklyn on Saturday morning. The church was filled to overflowing by those who gathered from near and far to pay their last tribute to the good personage who was gone from their midst to the other world. Requiem high mass was celebrated by the pastor, assisted by the church choir. The pall bearers were Frank J. Herman, Edward W. Henry, Edward Walter, Adolph Chaon, Oliver L. Gehant and Arthur Montavon. Undertaker Schwartz of Mendota was in charge of the funeral. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery adjoining town on the family lot.

The deceased was one of a family of nine children, one brother preceding her in death. Those remaining to mourn her loss are Faley, Amel, Frank, Edward and Charles Bresson. Mrs. Amelia Montavon, Mrs. Mary

July and her aged mother, Mrs. Caroline Bresson. Her father died at the age of 62 years in the year 1909 and is buried in the Catholic cemetery here. Her mother was 82 years of age Feb. 28, 1917.

Of her family, the three daughters, Mary, Carrie and Ruth, remain to mourn a mother's loss and to lose a mother's care. They, especially, have the sympathy of our people, for it is to them a great loss that has come. There is a loss that can never be repaired. We extend our sympathy to all the relatives in their bereavement.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to all who so kindly and willingly assisted us during the brief illness and death of our mother. The many floral offerings were appreciated and the goodness of all shall long be remembered.

MARY BERSCHEID,
CARRIE BERSCHEID,
RUTH BERSCHEID.

Rochelle, April 26.—A former Rochelle boy, Lloyd Ingram, who grew to manhood in this city, had a part in D. W. Griffith's Colossal spectacle, "Intolerance," which was shown at the Majestic theatre in this city on Sunday.

Mr. Ingram played the part of the judge in the final episode of the modern story when the boy, made a victim of evil environment as a result of the magnate's intolerant injustice, was sentenced to be hanged until dead.

Lloyd Ingram is a nephew of Mrs. Joseph Parker, 406 Main street, and was a grandson of the late Mrs. David Navarro. He has followed the call of the footlights nearly his entire life. For a while he was manager of one of the largest New York theatres and has played in important plays staged in Chicago. His first wife was a leading lady in a number of productions and Mr. Ingram played parts in the same plays. He was afterwards divorced.

With the advent of the movies Mr. Ingram left the legitimate stage to become a screen star for the Universal people. He was first recognized here in the leading role of Mr. Darcey in the "Divorcee," a Universal play and has been frequently seen here in feature plays since that time. Previous to his participation in "Intolerance" he was engaged in directing the Triangle plays of the Fine Arts corporation.

Mr. Ingram was a playmate of Roy and Clifford Furlong during his childhood days spent in Rochelle. He has often visited here, especially when his grandmother was living.

Attorney Fred E. Gardner of Rochelle is one of the six chairmen of the Illinois branch of the Military Training Camps association, which is co-operating with the government in the establishment of the camps. From them pamphlets describing the camps and their purpose, together with application blanks, may be obtained. Two camps are to be held at Fort Benjamin Harrison and Fort Sheridan, May 8th.

Four Rochelle high school students have registered with Superintendent Herman Wimmer for the high school military camp at Culver, Ind., which will be held for two weeks starting on Monday, April 30 and continuing through May 12th.

The boys who will attend are: Robert Tilton and Harry Peck of the Senior class; Robert Hackett, a junior, and Silas Boken, a sophomore.

Captain Edgar Z. Steever will conduct the high school volunteers' training camp and expects an attendance of 1,000 high school boys from various cities in the middle West. West Virginia also has made arrangements to be represented.

The camp is opened to all members of the high school cadet corps and superintendents have promised that the boys who attend shall not lose credit in their school work.

The final meeting of the Rochelle Parent-Teachers Association will be held in the high school assembly room at 8 o'clock next Monday evening, April 30. The two features of the evening will be an address by Supt. H. H. Hagen, of Dixon, and a short program to be given by the pupils of the eighth grade. Supt. Hagen is a successful schoolman of several years experience. He will speak on the subject, "The Co-operation of the School and the Home". The eighth grade's program to be given under the direction of Miss Brooks will be in part musical and part dramatic. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend.

The April number of the Human Advocate, the organ of the Illinois Humane Society, contains a three page write-up of the recent bird house contest held here by the schools and of other things being done in the way of humane education. A part of the write-up written by the editor compliments "the city of lights and pavements" on its fine public spirit and successful schools. The remainder of the article treats of the recent bird house contest and was written by Supt. Herman Wimmer.

The latter article is finely illustrated by cuts which were reproduced from photographs made by W. C. Hartung.

The Leadership club of the high school have taken over the Lycée course for next year and have booked three very fine attractions from the Redpath Bureau. The course will cost more than usual another year but an unusual interest has been developed at high school with the result that a great many more of the high school students than have been attending in the past will attend. Season tickets will sell as follows: for adults one dollar; for pupils seventy-five cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon V. Ward, of Los Angeles, Cal., are visiting his brother Arthur V. Ward and his sisters, Nedra and John Maxson and J. M. Weeks.

The nineteen high school and grade boys who were mobilized by Supt. Herman Wimmer to help Commissioneer Antoine with the city housecleaning on Saturday did excellent work. They were so diligent in their labors that the Rochelle

women's club invited them to be their guests at the Princess, Monday evening, to see Mary Pickford in "Hulda from Holland".

The boys who did their bit Saturday were: Daniel Atwater, Hale Weeks, Herman Dell, Arthur Hackett, Roland Sheadle, Milford Porter, Leonard Whipple, Norman Scarfe, George Fousner, Mearle, Francis Doner, John Carter, Walter Saathoff, Roy Antoine, Robert Kramer, George Lathrop, Walter Coleman, John Schermerhorn, and Cyril Smith.

The work in the training classes has been very interesting and beneficial this year. The total enrollment is about eighty in the sixth, seventh, and eighth grades and high school.

In the grades the fore part of the year was spent in doing wood-work, making footstools, hall-trees, taboretts and other useful articles. At the close of the work a very successful birdhouse exhibit was held which proved to be one of the most popular events of the year.

In the high school work has been progressing very nicely. Several very fine pieces of furniture have been made including hall tables, dressing tables, cedar chests, and chairs. Aside from the regular class work the instructor has given two lectures on forestry, illustrated with colored slides and two sets of motion pictures. The lectures have been on saws and the manufacture of lumber. Some written work on forest conditions and examinations have been required. All of these are entirely new features of the work which have been added this year by Mr. Oaks.

A girl's class was organized early in the winter and met twice a week on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. This was extra work and voluntary on the part of the girls and Mr. Oaks, as no school credit was given for the work accomplished.

The girls did some excellent work, each making a bread board, tenot block, bird house, bookrack or letter holder.

The other part of the manual training work, mechanical drawing, has been completed in the high school. A regular outlined course was given at first, after which three weeks of house planning was taken up and several nicely planned homes were drawn. In the grades the drawing will continue until the end of the school year, but the hot weather will not make it monotonous as several excursions to Kiondike have been planned as the trees are in leaf. It will be the aim of the excursion to put the classes in touch with the native trees and conditions surrounding their growth.

Those who are anxious to see the work which has been accomplished this year will be afforded an opportunity at an exhibit being planned for the near future. Just at present Mr. Oaks is very busy collecting material for the making of charts which show many different kinds of wood grown in the United States.

DARMON

Smallwood is receiving material for his garage building nearly every day. The building will be ninety-two feet long, that is including the boiler room where the furnace and boiler will be put to heat the room; it will be heated either by steam or hot air; the front of the building will be plate glass to give light to the room; the doors also will have glass in them; the roof will be steel; the floor concrete; the side walls will be ten feet about the foundation; the front will be considerably higher so that it will make a fine appearance from the street, it fronting east. There will be room in it to store a large number of auto's at one time; there will be no danger of them getting burned as the building will be fire proof.

D. D. Leonard's new house is rapidly going up; it will be a fine residence, opposite the Catholic church; it will have all the modern improvements that can be put into a building in a town where there are no electric lights or any kind of sewerage.

The lawn at the Catholic church is finely laid out in flowers and fine walks of concrete; they seem to be adding more beauty to the lawn every year; it will be a fine place to look up for the passerby on the summer time.

They seem to have made considerable improvement in the M. E. parsonage building.

Charles Schoaf, who has been at the hospital for some time taking treatment, returned Saturday afternoon.

Wm. Fane, the man that runs a barber shop and pool room, has a brother here visiting him from Dixon.

John McKeel has finished repairing his barn.

J. R. McCormick's rye which he sowed close to town looks fine; there is a good prospect for a fine crop.

Much corn planting will be delayed on account of the cold weather as the seed may not be first class and rot in the ground.

The oats are coming up and looking fine; the weather is favorable for them.

The early potato crop ought to be large this year as every one is planting them; the high price for them this year has caused many more to be planted than usual.

The trees are slow putting forth their leaves and the blossoms are slow coming out on the fruit trees; berries of all kinds are late.

The highway commissioners will have four new iron and concrete bridges built this summer; the contracts are let for some of them.

Joseph Scanlan has been shipping a large number of fat hogs to Chicago lately.

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Smallwood was drawing material from the cars Tuesday for the garage.

John Farley of Marion was a caller in Harmon Tuesday.

Marion McDermott of Marion was a caller in Harmon Tuesday.

The men at the grain elevator were busy Tuesday, loading cars with grain.

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There was a large number of people at the funeral of Mrs. Fagan, as she was widely known here; the funeral services were held at the Catholic church and the remains were taken to Dixon for burial.

There was quite a rain fall at Harmon Monday; considerable water fell on Tuesday; it was quite cool and a west wind.

The farmers are very busy getting ready to plant corn; some are

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Ernest C. Lumsden, Pastor.

MAY PROGRAM OF M.E. CHURCH

The Methodist church plans very interesting services for this month. We want all of our members and friends to be with us. The church is the best institution. We are here to be helpful. The following services are announced:

Morning at 10:45.

May 6th—"Church Day".

May 13th—"Mother's Day".

May 20th—"Other's Day".

May 27th—"Methodist Memory Day".

Evening at 7:45.

May 6th—"A Man's Disposition".

May 13th—"Signing a Name".

May 20th—"Cooling Streams".

May 27th—"Union Memorial Service in Methodist Church". Dr. Holton will preach.

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WEST BROOKLYN

Charles Stout of Compton was here Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Henkel and daughter Helen visited here Thursday.

F. M. Yocom and Elmo Litts were in Chicago this week and returned with a new 1917 model Moline Knight automobile. The machine is a dandy.

Levi Mehlbrech was here Friday from Compton shopping.

Lewis Parks motored over from Moline Friday to help his neighbors with corn shelling.

John P. Untz of Viola was here on business Friday.

Miller-Zinke.

On Saturday, April 21, 1917, occurred the marriage of Miss Martha Miller of Mendota to George Zinke of West Brooklyn. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Voelker at the Lutheran church in Mendota. The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barnickel, the latter a sister of the groom. The bride was attired in white silk and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. The bridesmaid wore a

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Taste and Temperature.

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India Paper.

Processes used in the production of certain kinds of paper are trade secrets.

Thus the methods employed to produce the thin, tough, opaque variety, known as the Oxford India paper, have never been divulged. It was first made in England at the Clarendon Press paper mills in 1875 and was used for printing an edition of the Bible.

The Steeplechase.

The first steeplechases were literally "chases to a steeple." The earliest we can discover was a match in 1752 between Edmund Blake and Mr. O'Callaghan over four and a half miles of stiff country between the church of Buttivant and St. Leger church spire.—London Tatler.

Accurate Timekeepers.

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Our Naval Chronometers.

With a view to providing the exact time for chronometers used on warships, the navy department has a master clock in a vault under the Naval Observatory, where the temperature is never allowed to vary more than the hundredth part of a degree. This evenness of temperature is ensured by means of a thermostat and a small electric stove. When the temperature rises the two-hundredth part of a degree above normal the thermostat automatically turns off the stove. When it falls below normal the stove starts working again. Sometimes the electric

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The City of Silence.

Amyclae, an ancient town of Iacnia, situated on the eastern bank of the Ebrotas, was a famous city in the heroic age. It was the abode of Tynarus and his spouse, Leda; of Castor and Pollux, who are hence called the "Amyclae Brothers." It was only shortly before the first Messenian war (743-724 B. C.) that the town was conquered by the Spartan king Teleucus. The inhabitants had been so often alarmed by false reports of the approach of the Spartans that, growing tired of living in a state of continual alarm, they decreed that no one should henceforth mention or even take notice of these disagreeable fictions, and accordingly when the Spartans at last came no one dared to announce their approach; hence arose the Greek saying, "Amyclae perished through silence."

A Dissected Plateau.

Standing on a hilltop almost anywhere in New England on a clear day and looking around at the horizon one notices that the high level surfaces of one hill after another approach the plane of the circular sky line. It requires but little imagination to recognize in the successive hilltops the remains of the even and continuous surface of what was once a great plain, from which the valleys of today have been carved by the erosive action of flowing water. This is most easily recognized from a considerable elevation, especially in the broad upland high level areas of western Massachusetts at Whitecomb hills, on the Hawk trail. This is termed a dissected plateau.—Geological Survey Bulletin.

RECENT STRONG AGAINST PRO-GERMAN INFLUENCES

Grand Duke Michael Has Been at Odds With His Brother, the Czar, For Years.

Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovitch, the new regent of Russia, is the younger and only brother of Emperor Nicholas, with whom he has been at odds for many years. Until the birth of Grand Duke Alexis Nicholaevitch, son of Emperor Nicholas, in 1904, he was the first in succession to the Russian throne.

Grand Duke Michael is the favorite son of the Dowager Empress Marie Feodorovna, sister of the Dowager Queen Alexandra of Great Britain. He also has been strongly opposed to the German influence in the Russian Imperial family.

Born from Russia by his brother early in 1913 because of his morganatic marriage, Grand Duke Michael spent some time in exile in England. He returned to Russia late in August, 1914, and was reported to have taken a command in the army. Since then there have been no reports of his whereabouts and activities.

Being born on Nov. 22, 1878, he is ten years younger than the emperor. His education was wholly military, and he has held many honorary commands in the army.

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Kill Fifty Mexican Bandits.

San Luis Potosi, May 3.—Fifty bandits were killed and a large number captured and unceremoniously hanged to telegraph poles at Guaje, April 26, when they attacked a passenger train, according to reliable information received here. A military train had preceded the passenger train only a short time before the attack.

Murder and Suicide, Is Belief.

Chicago, May 3.—Juan Kastille, twenty-seven, and his wife, Sylvia, both theatrical people, were found dead in a rooming house, each having been shot through the heart. The police believe Kastille killed his wife and committed suicide.

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—World Outlook.

Round Towers of Ireland.

No one knows exactly when or why the round towers in Ireland were built, but some believe that the druids erected them as watch towers and places to which to go for safety in time of danger. A good many of the towers have the tops broken down, and those which show the cone tops intact have mostly been restored. There is no door on the ground, the doors being purposely built at about ten or fifteen feet from the ground and were reached by ladders. After the people had climbed inside they drew their ladders up after them and thus were out of reach of the Danes who frequently invaded the country. The tiny windows of these towers are far up toward the top also. About eighty round towers remain in Ireland, but only a few of them are perfect. According to one authority, they were probably built between the ninth and thirteenth centuries.

Two Freaks of Nature.

Two contrasting freaks of nature are the Island of Fire and the Lake of Snow. The Island of Fire is called the Home of Hot Devils. It is situated in the midst of a large lake of boiling mud in the island of Java. The steam and gases which arise from the sticky mud form themselves into bubbles, attaining a diameter of five or six feet, and sail high up in the air like balloons, carried hither and thither by the wind and finally exploding with a loud crash.

The biggest snow lake is seen from the summit of Hispar pass, in the Karakoram range. It is more than 300 square miles in area. In Switzerland the sea of ice might better be called the sea of snow, as the surface is broken up by solar heat, which makes a minute fissuring in the ice, giving it the appearance of snow.

Lone Bandit Robs Train.

Sparta, Wis., May 3.—A lone bandit, concealed in the rear coach of train No. 412 on the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railroad, forced two members of the train crew to stand with their hands above their heads while he rifled the pockets of the sleeping passengers, just as the train pulled into this station at 1:15 a.m.

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